Relief package to dependents of militants in J and K

2112. SHRI ABU ASIM AZMI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has decided to provide relief package to the dependents of militants killed in encounter with security forces in Jammu and Kashmir;

(b) if so, the details thereof including the funds allocated for this purpose; and

(c) how many families are likely to be benefited by this scheme?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPARAKASH JAISWAL): (a) As yet no decision is taken on this issue.

(b) and (c) Does not arise in view of (a) above.

Probe into land deals near India-Pakistan Border in Jaisalmer

2113. SHRI ABU ASIM AZMI:
SHRI AMAR SINGH:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has since completed its probe into the mysterious land deals involving crores of rupees near India-Pakistan Border in Jaisalmer district of Rajasthan;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if so, the action Government has taken against the persons found involved in the deal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI V. RADHIKA SELVI): (a) to (c) Government is aware that large scale land transaction have taken place in the border areas of Rajasthan. The Rajasthan Government has initiated a detailed inquiry into these transactions with the intention of identifying the purchasers and ascertaining the bonafides/motives behind such transactions. Preliminary enquiries indicate that lands have also been purchased by parties not belonging to Rajasthan. Government of Rajasthan have since placed four (4) sub-registrars under suspension for procedural violations and have started disciplinary action against other officials.

While speculation linked to expectations about improved highway connectivity, new projects of irrigation and prospects of oil and gas finds may be a factors for accelerated investment in land in these areas, a definitive conclusion/analysis will be possible only after completion of the detailed enquiry being undertaken by the Government of Rajasthan with the support of the Central Government agencies. A high level review on the subject matter has also been held in the Ministry of Home Affairs and the issue is being closely monitored in coordination with the State Government, from time to time.

Fencing on Kutch Border

2114. SHRI VIJAY KUMAR RUPANI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is aware that the fencing work of Kutch border is not completed;

(b) if so, how many kilometers of border fencing work is not completed, the reasons therefor;